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October 24, 2019
David J. Bradley, Clerk

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS CORPUS CHRISTI DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA §

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VS. § MAG. JUDGE NO. 2:19-MJ-4005

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GREGORY EDWIN REED

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER OF DETENTION PENDING TRIAL

A detention hearing has been held in accordance with the Bail Reform Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f). Detention of the defendant pending trial in this case is necessary because there is a serious risk that the defendant will not appear.

The evidence against the defendant meets the probable cause standard and the weight of the evidence is strong. Further, the defendant was released on bond for a felony offense at the time of the commission of the instant offense. Therefore, it appears the defendant was either unable or unwilling to comply with conditions of release. Additionally, the defendant has a significant substance abuse problem and a lengthy criminal history. The defendant is a poor candidate for bond. The findings and conclusions contained in the Pretrial Services Report are adopted.

The defendant is committed to the custody of the United States Marshal or his designated representative for confinement in a corrections facility separate, to the extent practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal. The defendant shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity for private consultation with defense counsel. On order of a court of the United States or on request of an

attorney for the Government, the person in charge of the corrections facility shall deliver the defendant to the United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with a court proceeding.

ORDERED this 24th day of October 2019.

Jason B. Libby

United States Magistrate Judge